



August 27, 2012

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Re: Acknowledgement of Bond Continuation Certificate and Delivery

To Whom It May Concern:

Rural/Metro Corporation of Florida, Inc. ("Rural/Metro") hereby delivers and the County of Sumter in the State of Florida ("Customer") accepts the attached Performance Bond in the amount of \$1,000,000.00, as required by and in compliance with that certain ambulance service agreement for Customer ("Contract"). To the extent the attached bond is a renewal or replacement bond, acceptance of the attached Performance Bond immediately terminates any other existing and outstanding bond currently held for the benefit of Customer relating to the Contract.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kevin Moore".

Kevin Moore
VP & Treasurer

Agreed and acknowledged by Customer:

By: Leland Greek

Name: LELAND GREEK

Title: FIRE CHIEF

Date: 9/4/12

CONTINUATION
CERTIFICATE

PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY

, Surety upon

a certain Bond No. 41139737

dated effective October 1, 2011
(MONTH-DAY-YEAR)

on behalf of RURAL/METRO CORPORATION OF FLORIDA
(PRINCIPAL)

and in favor of COUNTY OF SUMTER, FL
(OBLIGEE)

does hereby continue said bond in force for the further period

beginning on 10/1/2012
(MONTH-DAY-YEAR)

and ending on 9/30/2013
(MONTH-DAY-YEAR)

Amount of bond \$1,000,000.00

Description of bond Emergency Ambulance Services

PROVIDED: That this continuation certificate does not create a new obligation and is executed upon the express condition and provision that the Surety's liability under said bond and this and all Continuation Certificates issued in connection therewith shall not be cumulative and that the said Surety's aggregate liability under said bond and this and all such Continuation Certificates on account of all defaults committed during the period (regardless of the number of years) said bond had been and shall be in force, shall not in any event exceed the amount of said bond as hereinbefore set forth.

Signed and dated on 8/21/2012
(MONTH-DAY-YEAR)

PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY

By 
ATTORNEY-IN-FACT Tracy Aston

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California

County of Los Angeles

On AUG 21 2012 before me, Edward C. Spector Notary Public, personally appeared Tracy Aston who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

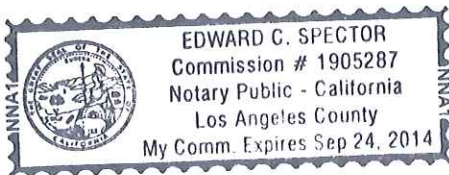
WITNESS my hand and official seal.

(seal)

Signature



Edward C. Spector, Notary Public



PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY
POWER OF ATTORNEY

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Nebraska, having its principal offices in the City of Middleton, Wisconsin, does make, constitute and appoint

-----E.S. ALBRECHT, JR; TRACY ASTON; THOMAS BRANIGAN; K.D. CONRAD; ASHRAF ELMASRY; SIMONE GERHARD-----
-----CHARLENE K. NAKAMURA; BRENDA WONG-----

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf, as surety, and as its act and deed, any and all bonds, undertakings and contracts of suretyship, provided that no bond or undertaking or contract of suretyship executed under this authority shall exceed in amount the sum of

-----ALL WRITTEN INSTRUMENTS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED: \$5,000,000.00-----

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY at a meeting duly called and held on the 8th day of January, 2002.

"RESOLVED, that the President, and Vice-President, the Secretary or Treasurer, acting individually or otherwise, be and they hereby are granted the power and authorization to appoint by a Power of Attorney for the purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, one or more vice-presidents, assistant secretaries and attorney(s)-in-fact, each appointee to have the powers and duties usual to such offices to the business of the Corporation; the signature of such officers and the seal of the Corporation may be affixed to such power of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Corporation in the future with respect to any bond or undertaking or other writing obligatory in the nature thereof to which it is attached. Any such appointment may be revoked, for cause, or without cause, by any of said officers, at any time."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its officer undersigned and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed duly attested, this 2nd day of May, 2011.

Attest:

Richard W. Allen III

Richard W. Allen III
President
Surety & Fidelity Operations



PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY

David F. Pauly

David F. Pauly
CEO & President

STATE OF WISCONSIN } S.S.:
COUNTY OF DANE }

On the 2nd day of May, 2011 before me personally came David F. Pauly, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the County of Dane, State of Wisconsin; that he is President of PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY, the corporation described herein and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of the said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto by like order.



CERTIFICATE

Daniel W. Krueger

Daniel W. Krueger
Notary Public, Dane Co., WI
My Commission Is Permanent

STATE OF WISCONSIN } S.S.:
COUNTY OF DANE }

I, the undersigned, duly elected to the office stated below, now the incumbent in PLATTE RIVER INSURANCE COMPANY, a Nebraska Corporation, authorized to make this certificate, **DO HEREBY CERTIFY** that the foregoing attached Power of Attorney remains in full force and has not been revoked; and furthermore, that the Resolution of the Board of Directors, set forth in the Power of Attorney is now in force.

AUG 21 2012

Signed and sealed at the City of Middleton, State of Wisconsin this _____ day of _____, 20____.



Alan S. Ogilvie

Alan S. Ogilvie
Secretary

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